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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
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Application No.: 09/609,228) Examiner: Narayanswamy Subramanian
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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR)
GENERATING A SALE OFFER)
TO SELECTED INDIVIDUALS)
OVER ELECTRONIC NETWORK)
SYSTEMS)

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION
AND WITHDRAWAL OF THE OUTSTANDING
FINAL OFFICE ACTION

In reply to the Final Office Action dated May 16, 2006, the non-fee period for response to which extending through August 16, 2006, Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner reconsider the outstanding grounds for rejection for the following reasons.

At the outset, Applicant appreciates the Examiner's decision to withdraw the previous grounds for rejection of claims 1, 62, 65-69, 74-85, and 90-92 under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) based on the use of Tuck et al. (U.S. Patent No. 6,115,698) as a secondary reference.